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Minutes

Resource Stewardship subcommittee

Wednesday, October 1, 2025, 4:30 PM

Zoom

Attendance: **Colebrook** (Alison Jassen, Representative, R/S Subcommittee Chair), Barkhamsted (Roger Behrens, Representative, FRCC Committee Chair), New Hartford (Alison Murdock, Representative), DEEP (Matt Goclawski, Representative), FRWA (Kaitlin Cole, Alternate)

Agenda:

1. Invasive Species Management

Kaitlin is waiting for a quote from All Habitat for retreatment of the American Legion Forest area.

2. Water Quality Monitoring

The sampling for the FRCC-funded nutrient study is completed. Results are being compiled.

3. Land Protection/Grants

No land protection grants were received.

4. Culverts

- a. Ratlum Brook Culvert Project – Jim Buchok sent a description of the project with photos documenting the severe barrier condition of the culverts. More information will follow.

5. Others: Continuing/new

- a. Grenier Sandy Brook Dam Removal- There is no simple fix for the dam removal. TU brought in an expert and are awaiting a proposal. The landowner is attempting to trap and transfer the trout.
- b. Allison Murdock will talk to Dan Jerram about the Japanese Knotweed multitown efforts.